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Attorney Docket Number		1477 (TOUCHSTONE
First Named Inventor		ROGERS
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ACTIVATED, COAL-BASED CARBON FOAM

(Title of the Invention)

the specification of which

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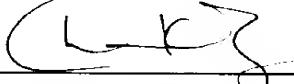
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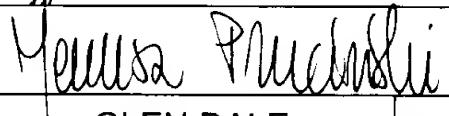
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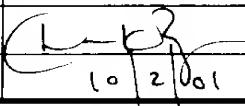
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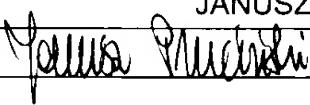
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